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Beef

IMPS# Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3				
113A Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lb	27168	134.56	13.41
115 Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	363255	137.59	10.42
116A Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1573339	167.31	17.19
120 Brisket	6-14 Lbs	628556	147.03	4.42
123A Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	55848	135.23	-0.45
160 Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	73185	147.61	11.69
161 Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	189194	153.34	4.43
168 Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	628516	141.85	9.95
170 Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	64096	150.34	5.66
Coarse ground Blend 81%		982055	149.65	6.95
Coarse ground Blend 85%		9934	161.23	16.14
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items				
Boneless Chuck 85%			132.44	-7.79
Top Inside Round	12-16 Lbs		152.45	-0.32
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh				
90% Chemical Lean		1937959	132.66	-3.48
50% Chemical Lean		316962	164.57	3.86



Pork



Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	21.0	124.95	14.60
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	27.5	71.22	10.30
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/	1.0	132.00	—
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	26.0	40.15	-3.18
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	91.5	38.32	-1.35
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 Lbs	8.0	77.25	-1.95
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 Lbs	5.0	74.00	-2.00
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		9.0	51.00	1.50
72% Chemical Lean		31.0	41.05	-6.02

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.3725-1.4575	1.3625-1.4725

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.4025-1.7600	1.3975-1.7600

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 23-Jan-04

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, January

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
0.9966	-0.0223	+0.1170

Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 73.58 Chicago 69.54 Los Angeles 74.84

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S N/A Leg Quarters N/A
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 179.82 Leg Quarters 30.55

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 61.50 59.00
Central 60.50 57.50
Western 62.00 59.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 108.00 Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 109.50 New York 123.00-127.00
Midwest 103.50 Chicago & MW 119.00-128.00
S. Central 109.50 S. California 239.00-349.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 57.50-66.25 Whites 68.00-69.75 Yolks 57.00-59.00
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 82.00-92.00 86.00-91.00
Central 73.00-76.00 80.00-83.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 81.00-84.00 86.00-89.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)
Whole 2.82-3.30 Yolks 1.65-2.10 Blends 1.98-2.10



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, Regular Storage, 100s Containers
TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 15.00
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 44 lb cartons CA Storage, 100s, Yakima Valley
& Wenatchee District, WA 15.00
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Southern District, CA 15.40
Strawberries, flats, 12-1 pint basket, medium-large, Central FL 13.90
Oranges, Navel, Shippers 1st grade, cartons 113s ctns, Central &
Southern CA & AZ 8.00
Grapefruit, Marked Rio Star, 7/10 bushel cartons, 36s, Lower Rio Grande
Valley, TX 7.63
Clementines, 2, 3 kilogram, 24s Spain Imports through New Jersey and
Delaware Ports 3.50

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Coachella and Palo Verde Valleys, CA 5.18
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 10.85
Celery, 2 1/2 doz ctns, South District, CA 12.02
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Central & Western, AZ 5.72
Imperial Valley, CA 5.10
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, Central & South FL 19.35
Mexico Crossings through South Texas large 16.60
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6s, Central & South FL 7.20
Mexico flats 2 layer Vine Ripe 4X5s 6.85
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, Sacks, ID & OR 10.00
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin
Falls, Burley District & Western ID 10.75

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of
Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping
Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.